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Plant Sale Catalog 2010

Preorders due March 5

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ALL PROCEEDS FROM THE PLANT SALE SUPPORT THE LAKE COUNTRY LAND SCHOOL



The Land School provides students of all ages, from Lake Country and other urban schools, with a rural environment where they can form a community that values collaborative, physical work, that experiments with economic empowerment, and that experiences a deep relationship with the land over an extended period of time. The Land School strives to be an ecologically sound integration of domesticated and wild environments.

THANK YOU for supporting this fundraising and educational endeavor. This year's plants come from Glacial Ridge Growers and from our very own LCS Land School greenhouse. LCS students participate in growing the Land School plants.

ANNUAL BEDDING FLOWERS: 4-pack, \$2		
Item #	Plant	Available Colors
A1.	Ageratum - sun, part shade. Bushy compact plants ideal for borders, edging and pots. Easy to grow, 6"	Hawaii Blue
A2.	Alyssum - sun. Easy to grow. Thick carpet of tiny flowers, fragrant, 4-5"	White, Purple
A3.	Begonia - sun, part shade, shade. One of the most popular plants for borders, beds, window boxes and houseplants, 7"	Red, Pink, White
A17.	Bells of Ireland - sun. Spikes of green with white bellflowers. Excellent cut or dried, 24"	White
A5.	Coleus - sun, part shade. Grows where nothing else will, 10-12"	Carefree Mix, Wizard Jade
A6.	Dusty Miller - sun. Finely cut silver white foliage, 8"	Silver Lace (standard)
A7.	Impatiens - part shade, shade. Tolerates sun if kept watered; prefers cool, moist shade, 10-12"	Cranberry, Pink, White
A8.	Lobelia - sun, part shade. Billowing masses of flowers. Prized in planters and baskets, 4-6"	Regatta Marine Blue (trailing)
A9.	Marigold - sun. Rewarding with an abundance of flowers, 6-8"	Janie Deep Orange, Little Hero Yellow, Little Hero Mix
A11.	Pansy - sun, part shade. Good for cool spring weather, 5"	Dynamite Blue, Mixed Colors
A12.	Petunia - sun, part shade	Plum, Sky Blue
A13.	Salvia - drought and heat resistant, well-branched foliage, deep blue flower spikes, 21"	Victoria Blue
A14.	Snapdragon - sun. Nice size for smaller gardens, 20"	Sonnet Mix
A18.	Spilanthes - sun, part shade. Known as the toothache plant, 12-18"	Yellow
A19.	Verbena - sun. Spreading mounded habit, 12"	Quartz Mix
A16.	Zinnia - sun. Decorative in gardens and flower arrangements, 12-15"	Profusion Mix

ANNUAL CUTTING FLOWERS: These varieties have been grown in our Land School greenhouse. They have performed consistently well and prefer full sun. 4-pack, \$2		
Item #	Plant	
AC20.	Asclepias - Red Butterfly. Sturdy plant with small orange and red flowers; butterfly attractant, 28-40"	
AC21.	Celosia - Pampas Plume. Good filler, masses of soft feathery plumes in various vibrant colors, multi-branching plants, 28-40"	
AC22.	Cleome - Queen Mix. Airy blooms in pinks, purples and whites, 36-60"	
AC23.	Cosmos - Pink and White. Strong stems with multiple blooms; may need staking, 40"	
AC24.	Larkspur - Sublime Mix. Pinks, blues, reds, purples and whites, 36-48"	

ANNUAL CUTTING FLOWERS, continued	
AC25.	Snapdragon - Rocket Mix. Reds, yellows, oranges, lavenders and more, 24-36"
AC26.	Sunflower – Sunbright. Golden petals with a dark brown center, free of pollen, 60-72"
AC27.	Sunflower - Teddy Bear. Double 6" blooms, 24-36"
AC28.	Tithonia - Mexican Sunflower. Orange with yellow center, 36-48"
AC29.	Verbena - Bonariensis. Lilac flowers atop long, airy stems, attracts beneficial insects, 36-48"
AC30.	Zinnia "Giant Dahlia Flowered Mix" - high yield of long sturdy stems with 4-6" fully double blooms in lilac, coral, scarlet, white, violet, deep rose, orange, golden yellow and creamy yellow. 48"
AC31.	Zinnia "Persian Carpet" - 2" bicolor blooms in red, mahogany, gold, purple, chocolate, and cream. 12-18"



LARGER BLOOMING ANNUALS: These are ready to take their place in baskets, boxes and other planters. Price varies by plant.		
Item #	Plant	Available Colors
LA46.	Bacopa - sun, part shade. Tiny white flowers. 4" pot, \$3	White
LA45.	Begonia, Tuberous - shade. Large flowers. 4" pot, \$3	Rose, Salmon
LA47.	Calendula - sun. Long flowering double blooms. 4" pot, \$2	Yellow
LA53.	Calibrachoa - sun. Low-growing, trailing, good for pots and baskets. 4" pot, \$3	Cherry, Yellow
LA54.	King Coleus - sun, part shade. 4" pot, \$3	Kong Scarlet
LA48.	Dahlia - sun, part shade. Bicolored semidouble. 4" pot, \$2	Harlequin Mix
LA41.	Geraniums - sun, part shade. Cutting grown. 4½" pot, \$4	Red, Pink
LA49.	Heliotrope - sun, part shade. Purple, scented. 4" pot, \$2	Blue Wonder
LA55.	Impatiens, Double - part shade, shade. 4" pot, \$3	Red, White
LA42.	Morning Glory - sun. Vigorous climber. 4" pot, \$2	Heavenly Blue
LA56.	Petunia 'Wave' - sun. Great ground cover or in hanging baskets. 4" pot, \$2	Red, Purple
LA57.	Ptilotus "Joey" - sun. Also known as "Showy Foxtail." Heat and drought tolerant. 4½" pot, \$4	Neon Pink
LA51.	Rhodochiton - sun, part shade. Spreading plant, bell shaped flowers. 4" pot, \$2	Purple Rain
LA52.	Thunbergia - Black-eyed Susan vine - sun, part shade. 4" pot, \$2	Susie Orange-Black Eye

LARGER ANNUALS - GREENERY: These are ready to take their place in baskets, boxes and other planters. Sun, part shade. 4" pot, \$3, unless marked otherwise		
Item #	Plant	Available Colors
GN50.	Asparagus Fern - sun, part shade. Works in planters of all kinds and in beds.	
GN56.	Dichondra - sun. Cascading habit that spreads up to 6 feet.	Silver Falls
GN51.	Eucalyptus - sun, part shade. Small, blue-green leaves are lightly scented.	Baby Blue
GN52.	Licorice Plant - sun, part shade. Bright green velvety foliage.	
GS140.	Purple Fountain Grass - Nice accent plant for pots or garden. 12-18", 4" pot, \$4	
GS141.	Purple Majesty Millet - Striking corn-like plant with 10" flower plums. 48", 4" pot, \$4	
GN53.	Spikes (dracaena) - Grow upright with long, straplike leaves.	
GN54.	Sweet Potato Vine - sun, part shade. Vigorous grower, well suited to containers or baskets.	Lime, Black
GN55.	Vinca Vine - sun, part shade. Use in mixed containers, hanging baskets and window boxes.	Traditional, Maculata

HANGING BASKETS: \$20		
Item #	Plant	Available Colors
HB65.	Begonia, Tuberous - part shade	Red, Yellow, Orange
HB60.	Fuchsia - part shade	Rose/Violet

HANGING BASKETS, continued		
HB61.	Ivy Geranium - sun	Burgundy, Pink, Red
HB64.	Petunia 'Wave' - full sun	Mixed Colors
HB75.	Strawberry, 'Seascape' - sun. Will flower and fruit all season.	

SMALL FLOWERING PERENNIALS: 2" pot, \$2.00		
Item #	Plant	Available Colors
SP80.	Astilbe Arendsii- Astary Mix - part shade. Multiple small blossoms on stem, pink, rose and white, 18-24"	
SP98.	Bergenia Cordifolia - Heartleaf Saxifraga - shade to full sun. Huge, shiny heart-shaped leaves, pink flower stalks in early spring, 12"	
SP81.	Campanula Carpatia - bellflower - full sun, partial shade. Forms low, cushion-shaped mound of small green leaves, with loads of upfacing, open bells appearing in early summer, 6-12"	White, Blue
SP99.	Clematis Integrifolia - sun. Steel blue, vine, 72"	
SP82.	Delphinium - Roundtable Mix - full sun. Colorful spikes, 6'	
SP100.	Dicentra Eximia - shade, part sun. Bleeding Heart, 12-18"	
SP83.	Echinacea Purpurea 'Magnus' - sun, part shade. Rosy-purple coneflower with brown center, more horizontal petals, 36"	
SP84.	Echinops Ritro - sun. Globe Thistle, blue, 36"	
SP85.	Gaillardia Aristata - sun. Goblin, crimson blooms, 12"	
SP101.	Geranium Pratense - shade, part sun. Cranesbill blue, 24-36"	
SP102.	Geranium Sanguineum - shade, part sun. Cranesbill rose, cup-shaped pink to purple flowers, 10-18"	
SP86.	Heuchera - shade. Coral Bells; delicate rose to dark red blooms	Dale's Strain (16"), Purple Palace (10"), Firefly (24")
SP89.	Linum - sun. Blue Flax, feathery sprays of sky blue flowers all summer, 18"	
SP90.	Lobelia Cardinalis - shade, part sun. Cardinal Flower, 36"	
SP91.	Myosotis Alpestris - sun, part shade. Victoria Blue, Forget-Me-Not, early flowering, likes moist shade, 6"	
SP92.	Papaver Nudicaule - sun. Poppy, mixed colors, 12"	
SP103.	Papaver Orientalis - sun. Poppy, brilliant red, 12"	
SP95.	Perovskia Atriplicifolia - sun. Russian Sage, 36"	
SP96.	Pulsatilla Vulgaris - sun. Pasque Flower, blooms violet, 8"	
SP97.	Salvia Superba - sun. Blooms blue, 12"	
SP104.	Sedum Spurium 'Summer Glory' - sun. Dragon's Blood Stonecrop, pink, 6"	
SP105.	Sedum Telephium 'Emperor's Wave' - sun, pointed leaves, reddish-purple, 16"	
SP106.	Shasta Daisy 'Snow Lady' - sun. Long season of blooms and full, tidy habit, 10-12"	
SP107.	Stachys Byzantina 'Fuzzy Wuzzy' - sun. Lamb's Ears, attractive to bees, butterflies and birds, 6-12"	
SP108.	Tiarella Wherri - shade, part sun. Foamflower, white star-shaped flowers grouped in a foam-like clusters, 6-12"	

MEDIUM FLOWERING PERENNIALS: All of these are native plants! 4" pot, \$3		
Item #	Plant	
MP100.	Aquilegia Canadensis - shade, full sun. Columbine, red and yellow blooms, 12-26"	
MP101.	Arisaema Triphyllum - shade. Jack in the Pulpit, 2'	
MP102.	Artemesia Ludoviciana - sun. Prairie Sage, medicinal plant, 3'	
MP103.	Asarum Canadense - shade. Wild ginger, dark red blooms, 6"	

MEDIUM FLOWERING PERENNIALS, continued	
MP104.	Asclepias Tuberosa - part shade to full sun. Butterfly Weed, orange, 24-36"
MP105.	Baptisia Australis - part shade to full sun. Wild Blue Indigo, 24-28"
MP113.	Campanula Americana - shade, part sun. Tall bellflower, blue-purple, white at the center, 2-6'
MP114.	Clematis Virginiana - sun. Virgin's Bower Vine, climbing vine with white flowers, 72"
MP115.	Geum Triflorum - sun. Prairie Smoke, reddish pink to purplish, nodding, globular flowers, 10-18"
MP107.	Iris Versicolor - sun. Northern Blue Flag, 18-30"
MP108.	Liatris Ligulistylis - part shade to full sun. Meadow Blazing Star, excellent butterfly beacon, 36-60"
MP109.	Lupinus Perennis - part shade to full sun. Wild Lupine, blue, pea-like flowers on an upright, erect stem, 12-24"
MP116.	Mertensia Virginica - shade. Virginia Bluebells, loose clusters of blue, trumpet-shaped flowers, 18-24"
MP110.	Mitella Diphylla - shade. Bishop's Cap, white blooms, 6-16"
MP111.	Penstemon Digitalis - heavy shade to full sun. Foxglove Beardtongue, white flowers and bronze leaves, 24-60"
MP112.	Rudbeckia Triloba - part shade to full sun. Brown-eyed Susan, 24-48"

TALL PERENNIAL GRASSES: 4" pot, \$3	
Item #	Plant
GS142.	Big Bluestem - sun. Upright stems emerge gray to blue green in spring bearing purplish flower clusters, 4-6'
GS144.	Little Bluestem - sun. Fine foliage and distinctive upright flowers, 2-3'
GS148.	Bottlebrush Grass - part shade to full sun. Upright tufts of narrow, rough-textured leaves with greenish, bristly flower heads, 3'
GS145.	Side Oats Grama - sun. Bluish-gray leaf blades with purplish-tinged flowers on arching stems, 2-3'

FRUITING PLANTS: 1 gallon pots. Price varies by plant.	
Item #	Plant
FP228.	Raspberry, Autumn Bliss - sun. \$5
FP229.	Grape, Concord - sun. \$10
FP230.	Rhubarb, Crimson - sun. \$8

VEGETABLES - Brought to you directly from the Land School greenhouse.
 "These are the varieties we love to use." – Farmer Andy



LEAFY GREENS & BRASSICAS: 4-pack, \$2	
Item #	Plant
V150.	Packman Broccoli - Consistent early performer for all conditions.
V151.	Lacinato Kale - Nutritious dark green. A.K.A. dino kale or dragon's tongue.
V152.	Arugula - rich in vitamin C and potassium with a rich peppery taste.
V153.	Five Color Swiss Chard - Colorful selected chard. Beautiful stems.
V154.	Mixed Salad Greens - Lettuce Mix
V155.	Mixed Salad Greens - Spicy Greens Mix
V156.	Red Leaf Lettuce
V157.	Green Romaine Lettuce

PEPPERS & EGGPLANT: 4" pot, \$2.00	
Item #	Plant
VP160.	Italia - A long, tapered frying pepper of the "Como di toro" type that matures from green to a very sweet red. Excellent for grilling, sauces and stir-frying.
VP161.	Ace Peppers - Early smaller-size green pepper. Dependable for our northern climate.
VP162.	Lantern Peppers - Big, blocky green pepper, great for stuffing.

PEPPERS & EGGPLANT, continued	
VP164.	Anaheim Peppers - Long, thin New Mexico chile. Excellent fresh, sautéed, or pickled; the guacamole pepper.
VP169.	Habanero Pepper - Hot!
VP165.	Jalapeno Peppers - Medium heat.
VP166.	Poblano Peppers - Glossy dark green, mildly pungent and lightly sweet when roasted.
VE167.	Dusky Eggplant - Dependable early eggplant for our northern climate. Prolific.
VE168.	Orient Express Eggplant - Early maturing variety with a high yield of small, long, thin fruit.

TOMATOES & HEIRLOOM TOMATOES: Determinate tomato varieties produce one large crop and then produce little or no fruit for the rest of the season. They are usually shorter than indeterminate varieties, have a fixed height, and do not need to be staked. Indeterminate varieties are vining tomatoes and produce a continuous crop all summer until frost. 4" pot, \$2.00	
Item #	Plant
VT170.	Sungold Cherry - Best tasting cherry bar none. Golden fruit like candy. Indeterminate. 57 days.
VT228.	Black Cherry - high yielding cherry tomato, almost black in color, with a dynamic flavor like an heirloom tomato. Indeterminate. 65 days.
VT171.	First Lady - Extra-early slicing tomato. Good flavor. Indeterminate. 66 days.
VT172.	Big Beef - Mid-season slicing tomato. Large size. Classic. Indeterminate. 73 days.
VT173.	Celebrity - Mid-season, red slicing tomato. Determinate. 72 days.
VT174.	San Marzano - Paste tomato, excellent for making paste, sauce, puree, and canning. Indeterminate. 80 days.
VT175.	Rose Brandywine Heirloom - Selected strain of the famous Brandywine. Indeterminate. 78 days.
VT176.	Cherokee Purple Heirloom - Purple when ripe. Great full flavor. Indeterminate. 80 days.
VT177.	Yellow Brandywine Heirloom - Golden fleshed. Exceptional flavor. Indeterminate. 76 days.
VT178.	Green Zebra - Excellent fresh or cooked. Indeterminate. 75-80 days.
VT179.	Evergreen - A medium-large beefsteak type tomato that stays green when ripe. Low acid mild flavor. Indeterminate. 72 days.
VT225.	Striped German - Large red and yellow striped heirloom. Complex and fruity flavor with a smooth texture. Indeterminate. 80 days.
VT227.	Bloody Butcher - Small 4 oz. fruits are deep red with strong tomato flavor. Early. Indeterminate. 55 days.

OTHER VEGETABLES: All of these vegetables are planted with 1-3 plants per 4" pot. Plant together in your garden as a "hill" and do not disturb the roots during transplanting. 4" pot, \$2.00	
Item #	Plant
V180.	Marketmore Slicing Cucumbers - Classic slicer.
V181.	Delicata Winter Squash - Excellent flavor. Eat the rind, too. Everybody's favorite.
V182.	Raven Zucchini - Dark green hybrid zucchini.
V183.	Butternut Squash - Delicate flavor, long keeper.



HERBS: Perfect for the kitchen garden, container or window box. 3½" pot, \$2.50	
Item #	Plant
H190.	Basil, Red
H191.	Basil, Sweet
H192.	Basil, Lemon
H194.	Catnip
H195.	Chives
H196.	Cilantro

HERBS, continued	
H197.	Dill
H205.	Parsley, Curly
H206.	Parsley, Flat
H207.	Oregano, Greek
H208.	Peppermint
H209.	Rosemary
H210.	Sage
H211.	Tarragon, French
H212.	Thyme, English
H213.	Thyme, Lemon
H214.	Lavender, "Lady"
H215.	Lavender, "Munstead"
H218.	Nasturtium, organic edible

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Family Gardening Tips

- Start small. Window boxes or containers, because of their small size, can actually turn out to be rather luxurious gardens. Recycle clean bleach and milk containers. Cut off the tops and use them as planters.
- Be willing to put up with a less-than-perfect looking garden: crooked rows and weeds are okay.
- Leave an area where kids can dig, even after planting. This is often their favorite part of gardening. Look for earthworms together!
- Get some child-sized tools from a local nursery or garden center. Try to find tools that look genuine so the kids will feel like real gardeners. Can't afford it? Plastic spoons and shovels work well in window boxes.
- Make a secret place in the garden for your kids. Leave a space between the stalks of easy-to-grow sunflowers or bean poles so they can crawl "inside." Make a chicken wire animal and train ivy around: instant topiary!
- Kids like extremes, so plant huge flowers, like sunflowers, and small vegetable plants, like cherry tomatoes. Plant fragrant flowers or herbs like peonies, lavender, and chocolate or pineapple mint. Show your kids how to rub the herbs between their fingers to get a really good whiff.
- Teach your kids how to compost. Find a place behind a tree, or dig a hole in the ground. Don't add anything that ever swam, walked, or flew. Toss in rinds and peels from fruit, coffee grounds, tea bags, eggshells. When it turns black and crumbly (this will take several months) you can mix it with soil and use this for fertilizer for your garden. Don't forget to put your gloves on first.
- Look in the children's section of your library or bookstore for both gardening how-to books and storybooks. *Ready, Set, Grow! A Guide to Gardening*, by Suzanne Frutig Bales, teaches youngsters about specific plants. *Kids Garden!* by Avery Hart and Paul Mantell includes information on "sowing and growing" as well as activities for kids ages 4 and up.
- If you're interested in more organized children's programs, check with local parks departments or public gardens to see what they offer.

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